

AUDIT / AUDITOR INFO

Financial and Membership Audit Requirements

The Department of Public Instruction has the statutory responsibility to prescribe financial and membership audit requirements (s.120.14, Wisconsin Statutes) for Wisconsin school districts. In fulfilling this responsibility the department cooperates closely with school district officials and the independent auditors contracted by each school district.

This page has been established as an additional means to provide relevant information concerning financial and membership auditing to interested parties. This page and associated links constitute the Wisconsin School District Audit Manual referenced by Wisconsin administrative code PI 14.03.

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Reporting Due Dates:

PI 1506 AC - (internet filing) September 12, 2012 PI 1505 Full Annual - September 21, 2012 Financial Audit Report - **December 3**, 2012

W Audited Financial Statements Due Dates and Late Reports

Department of Public Instruction Audit Programs

Membership Audits - 2012-2013 State Aid Membership Audits are due May 1, 2013.

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- Alternative Education Grant Audit Program
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- Public Library Systems Aid
- Common School Fund (School Library) Aid Updated 4/6/10
- Pupil Activity Fund Audit Program
- ₩ Fund 73 Audit Program
- Compliance with State Statute
- General State Aids and State Special Education are ALWAYS major programs – Every Year
- Transportation is a type A program, audited at least once every 3 years

AUDIT / AUDITOR INFO RECENT AUDITOR UPDATES

Auditors Late Breaking Information Recent Auditor Updates

This web page is devoted to recent DPI updates of interest to school district auditors. News items are short but may include links to additional information.

- Reporting Fund Balances Under GASB 54 3/17/11
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Auditors Listserve Messages

W February 15, 2013 Letter to Wisconsin School District Auditors From: Gene Fornecker - Subject: Membership Audit Program and Report

W January 31, 2013 Letter to Wisconsin School District Auditors
From: Michele Tessner - Subject: 2012-13 Membership Audits and OMB Update

w September 11 Letter to Wisconsin School District Auditors From: Gene Fornecker - Subject: PI-1506AC

July 30 Letter to Wisconsin School District Auditors

From: Gene Fornecker - Subject: Coding of Health Insurance Rebates; DPI Staff Changes; Changes to Compliance Letter for State Programs; Special Adjustment Aid testing

July 11 Letter to Wisconsin School District Auditors

From: Brian Kahl - Subject: Special Education Licensure information; Special Education Expenditures

W July 9 Letter to Wisconsin School District Auditors From: Gene Fornecker - Subject: School Based Services

From: Gene Fornecker - Subject: School Based Services

W July 2 Letter to Wisconsin School District Auditors
From: Brian Kahl - Subject: Information Required for 2011-2012 School District Audits

May 30 Letter to Wisconsin School District Auditors

From: Gene Fornecker - Subject: Presentation of Budgetary Information

SFS REPORTING PORTAL

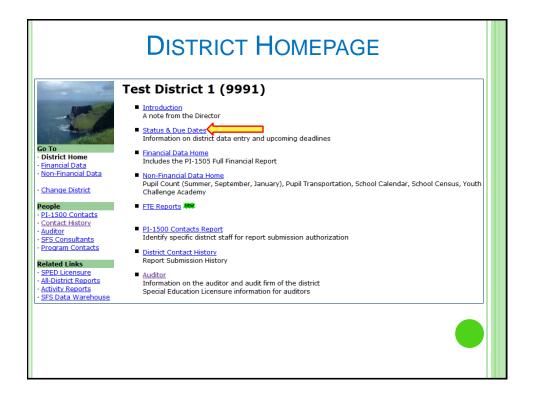
School Financial Services General Information

- Late Breaking Information 4-3-2013
- Fair Funding for Our Future
- October 15 Aid Certification Summary
- Education Jobs Fund (Ed Jobs)
- · State Fiscal Stabilization Funds (SFSF)
- Webcast Presentations
- PI 1500 District Contacts Report
- School Finance Data Warehouse
 School Finance Reporting Portal
- Calendars, Important Dates to Remember
- District Budget Development and Planning
- . SFS Learning Center
- School Finance RSS News Feeds

All School Financial Services reports are accessed through the School Finance reporting Portal.

FINANCE REPORTING PORTAL **School Finance Reporting Portal** Please enter a full or partial school district, CESA, or county name in the box provided. If you know the LEA (Local Education Agency) number, you may enter that. School District Name or Number: Test District 1 $\underline{A} | \underline{B} | \underline{C} | \underline{D} | \underline{E} | \underline{F} | \underline{G} | \underline{H} | \underline{I} | \underline{J} | \underline{K} | \underline{L} | \underline{M} | \underline{N} | \underline{O} | \underline{P} | \underline{Q} | \underline{R} | \underline{S} | \underline{I} | \underline{U} | \underline{V} | \underline{W} | \underline{X} | \underline{Y} | \underline{Z}$ ■ 21st Century Prep Sch (8110) ■ MAASAI Institute (8117) ■ Madison Metropolitan (3269) ▲ Go to top ■ Manawa (3276) ■ Manitowoc (3290) ■ Manitowoc Co (6936) ■ Maple (3297) ■ Abbotsford (0007) ■ Maple Dale-Indian Hill (1897) Acad of Learning (8112) ■ Marathon City (3304) ■ Adams Co (6901) ■ Marathon Co (6937) Adams-Friendship Area (0014) ■ Marinette (3311) ■ Albany (0063) ■ Marinette Co (6938) ■ Algoma (0070) ■ Marion (3318) ■ Alma (0084) ■ Markesan (3325) ■ Alma Center (0091) ■ Marquette Co (6939) Almond-Bancroft (0105) ■ Marshall (3332) ■ <u>Altoona (0112)</u>

Marchfield (3330)



STATUS & DUE DATES

Audit	or Due D	ate	S			
<u>Status</u>	Due Date	FY	<u>Data Collected</u>	Form	<u>Initial</u> Submission	Last Changed
~	Sep 12 '12	2012	Audited Fund Balances (wizard)	1506-FB	Sep 13 '12	Sep 13 '12
	Sep 21 '12		Special Ed - No Valid License Worksheet (District)	xxxx	Oct 02 '12	
~	Dec 03 '12	2012	Audited Financial Statements	xxxx	Dec 05 '12	
Required	May 01 '13	2013	Membership Audits	xxxx		

- o Shows which reports are due
- Shows when reports are due
- Shows if a report has been received
- Shows if reports are late



DISTRICT HOMEPAGE



A note from the Director

- Information on district data entry and upcoming deadlines
- <u>Financial Data Home</u> Includes the PI-1505 Full Financial Report

Test District 1 (9991)

- Change District
- Non-Financial Data Home
 Pupil Count (Summer, September, January), Pupil Transportation, School Calendar, School Census, Youth Challenge Academy
 - FTE Reports ***

Non-Financial Data

- Contact History Auditor
- SFS Consultants
- Program Contacts

- SPED Licensure All-District Reports
- Activity Reports
 SFS Data Warehouse
- PI-1500 Contacts Report
 Identify specific district staff for report submission authorization
- District Contact History Report Submission History

- Auditor
 Information on the auditor and audit firm of the district Special Education Licensure information for auditors

FINANCIAL DATA HOME

Test District 1 (9991)

Financial Data Home

Financial data, such as **revenues**, **expenses**, **account balances**, or **taxes**, are collected in the following categories. Please see <u>Status & Deadlines</u> for exact due dates. All reports are Internet-based, unless noted otherwise.

- Aid Certification (PI-1505-AC)
- Annual Report (PI-1505)
- Special Education Annual (PI-1505-SE)
- Budget Report (PI-1504)
- Special Education Budget (PI-1504-SE)
- Tax Levies (PI-401)
- Debt Schedules (PI-1505-Debt)
- Referenda (PI-1572) and Energy Efficiency Resolution Reporting
- Fraud Reporting Form (PI-1999)

DEBT SCHEDULES

Test District 1 (9991)

Financial Data Home | Referenda

Long-Term Debt Issues

Each district must enter all long-term debt amortization (repayment) schedules for all district indebtedness. Please update the information below anytime new debt has been issued or existing debt has been amended. Below are the long-term debt issues on record at DPI for this district.

All Debt | Bonds | Land Contracts | Notes | State Trust Fund | BANs | NANs

Click on the Issue Date to edit or delete it. Click on column headings to sort. Click on the category above to limit display to just that category of long-term debt.

<u>Name</u>	▲ <u>Debt Type</u>	Fund	Function	<u>Issue Date</u>	Maturity Date	Original Amount
General Obligation	Bond Issue	38	281	8/1/2004	3/1/2014	1,945,000.00
Financing the library construction	Bond Issue	38	281	12/15/2005	9/1/2013	3,765,000.00
Boiler	State Trust Fund Loan	38	281	4/1/2004	4/1/2010	170,000.00
Doller	State Haser and Loan	1 30	201	7/1/2004	4/1/2010	170,000.00

Add New Issue

Click on 'Issue Date' for a particular issue

AMORTIZATION SCHEDULE OF FUTURE PAYMENTS WILL APPEAR Test District 1 (9991) Financial Data Home > Long-Term Debt Issues **Payment Schedule** State Trust Fund Loan issued on 4/1/2004 for \$170,000.00. Matures on 4/1/2010. Other Comments / Description: Go to Issue Details to view, change, or delete the above details. Start payment schedule on: Jan 1 ▼ Year: 2004 ▼ Principal Payments made before above date: 0.00 Update Reset Include any amount expected to be refinanced under Refinanced Principal Adjustment as a negative amount. Last Principal Balance Period Principal Refinanced Principal Refinanced Interest New Principal Payments Scheduled 170,000,00 158 000 00 2004 lan - lun 12,000.00 4,560.00 +0.00 2004 Jul - Dec 158,000.00 158,000.00 0.00 4,560.00 +0.00 +0.00 158,000.00 146,000.00 12 000 00 4 560 00 +0.00 +0.002005 Jul - Dec 146,000.00 146,000.00 0.00 4,560.00 +0.00 +0.00

FINANCIAL DATA HOME

Test District 1 (9991)

Financial Data Home

Scroll to the bottom to get to Auditor Section

Reports that Auditors must submit:

- Auditor Aid Certification (PI-1506-AC, Internet)
- Audited Ending Fund Balances (PI-1506-FB, Internet)
- Financial Audit Statement: Aid Certification Data (PI-1506-LEA, Internet)
- Audited Financial Statements

Reports of interest to Auditors:

■ <u>FY 11-12 Educator License Information</u> (used in PI-1506-AC process)

For DPI Use Only:

- Auditor's Desk Review Checklist (District)
- Auditor's Desk Review Checklist (CESA)

AUDITOR AID CERT (PI-1506-AC)

- Required report accessed online through the SAFR reporting portal
- PI-1506-AC is pre-populated with the district submitted data through the PI-1505-AC process.
- Electronic submission Report opens on July 12, 2013 and is due September 11, 2013
- The PI-1506-AC is used by DPI for the October 15 aid certification.

AUDITED FUND BALANCES (PI-1506-FB)

- Required report accessed online through the SAFR reporting portal
- Provides auditors the opportunity to compare ending fund balances per the audited financial statements to the ending fund balances reported by the district on the annual report.
- May identify variances which may require immediate action by either the auditor or the district.
- DPI does a comparison between the FB report and the Audited Financial Statements during the desk reviews.

WISCONSIN UNIFORM FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING REQUIREMENTS

WUFAR

- Updated at least twice per year
- o Last update: April 2013

WUFAR

Website Link

• http://sfs.dpi.wi.gov/sfs_wufar

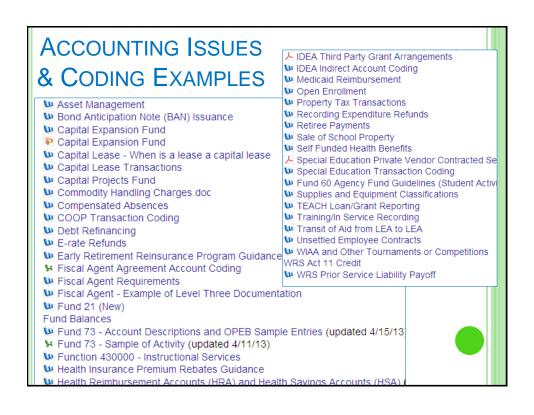
WUFAR Manual

Account Titles & Descriptions

Matrix

- Allowable Account
- · Classifications By Fund

WUFAR Summary of changes to April 1, 2013 updated WUFAR L The WUFAR (Updated April 1, 2013) · Allowable Account Classifications by Fund (Updated April 1, 2013) (Effective for 2012-13 fiscal year) PDF Format for printing - (Updated April 1, 2013) Balance Sheet Account Classifications Revenue Account Classifications Expenditure Account Classifications Section From the Fund 27 Matrix • W Program / Project Dimension Summary 😕 Aids Register Coding List of Federal and State Programs Administered through DPI WUFAR Webcasts · Accounting Issues and Coding Examples (click to see detailed listing) · Appendix A - W Optional Local Dimensions · Appendix B - (Updated April 1, 2013) Revision #1 and #2 Revision #3 Revision #4 Revision #5

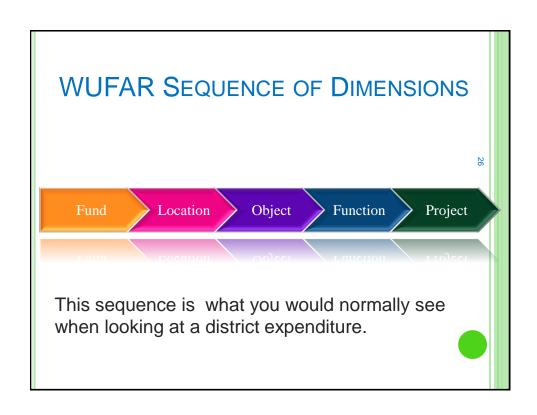


WUFAR REPORTING SYSTEM

Statutory Requirement 115.28(13) "Prescribe A Uniform Financial Fund Accounting System"

Must be used for financial reports submitted to the DPI

- Annual Report
- Budget Report
- Special Ed



EXPENDITURES

Format and segments

XX - XXXXXX - XXX - XXX

FUND - FUNCTION - OBJECT - PROJECT

- Function What is the purpose of the activity (Instructional, Support, Facilities, Transport, Debt.
 - Why are they buying or for what purpose?
- **Object** The service or commodity used in accomplishing a function.
 - What is being purchased?
- Project Used to identify state and federal categorical programs and grants.
 - How is it funded?
- Other dimension not collected by DPI location, Org, local A, local B

EXPENDITURE RECOGNITION

- When Items Are Used/Placed In Service
- When Services Are Provided
 - "Summer Payrolls" & Related Benefits
 - Recognized in fiscal year ending June 30 because services have already been performed

GENERAL FUND

Fund 10

Financial transactions relating to current operations that are not required to be accounted for in other funds

- Day to day operations
 - Instructional activities
 - Instructional staff support
 - Pupil support activities
 - Other support activities

SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

For Proceeds of Special Revenue Sources As Required - (By DPI)

- 2X Special Project Funds
 - o21 Special revenue trust fund
 - o23 TEACH
 - o27 Special Education Fund
 - o 29 Other Special Projects fund
- 50 Food Service
- 80 Community Service
- 9X Cooperative Services Funds
 - o91 CESA Package Programs
 - •93 TEACH Cooperative
 - •99 Other Cooperative Programs

SPECIAL PROJECTS FUNDS

Fund 21 - Special Revenue Trust Fund

 Gifts and donations received from private parties that can be used for district operations

Fund 23 - TEACH Fund

 Any remaining TEACH fund balance being used to make payments on a teach loan

Fund 27 - Special Education

• Excess cost of special education and related services funded wholly or in part with state or federal special education aid

Fund 29 - Other Special Projects Funds

 Special revenue K-12 instructional programs not required to be reported in other special revenue funds

DEBT SERVICE FUNDS

Fund 38 - Non-Referendum Debt Service Fund

• Borrowing without a referendum

Fund 39 - Referendum Approved Debt Service Fund

- Borrowing based on successful referenda
- Proper classification is essential for revenue limit calculations

CAPITAL PROJECTS FUNDS

Fund 41 - Capital Expansion Fund

- Capital expansion financed with tax levy
- Acquiring and remodeling buildings and sites, and repair that extend the service life of buildings
- No equipment
- Approved at annual meeting

Fund 44 - Qualified Zone Academy Bonds Project Fund (QZAB)

o Combined with Fund 49 for reporting purposes

Fund 48 - TIF Capital Improvement Levy Fund

o Projects financed with a TIF. No districts use this fund

Fund 49 - Other Capital Projects Fund

- Capital project activities funded with bonds and notes
- Record proceeds of borrowing and related expenditures



FOOD SERVICE FUND

Fund 50 - Food Service Fund

- Activities relating to pupil and <u>elderly</u> food service activities
- May not run a deficit
 - Pupil food service deficit covered by fund 10 transfer
 - Elderly food service deficit must be covered by community service fund transfer
- Districts must separate fund balance reserved for elderly food service.

TRUST FUNDS

District holds the investment, is responsible for the bookkeeping, but the spending is not determined by the district

Fund 72

 Scholarships, gifts and donations specified for the benefit of individuals and organizations not under the control of the school board

Fund 73

- Resources held in trust for formally established defined benefit pension plans, defined contribution plans or employee benefit plans-OPEB. There is an audit program specific to fund 73.
- Other employee benefits held in a trust

COMMUNITY SERVICE FUND

Fund 80 - Community Service Fund

- Activities where the primary function is to serve the community and are outside the regular and extracurricular programs for students – open to anyone in the community
- Adult education, community recreation programs, non-special education preschool, day care services
- o District levy and user fees are revenues of this fund
- May not make a transfer from fund 10

WUFAR Account Format

Fund	Location
10	123
 27	

Location

- · Where?
- DPI doesn't generally collect
- Used for internal tracking by district
- Future possibility of school level tracking



- Generally denotes building or site where activity takes place.
 - 100 Elementary Schools
 - 101 Oakwood Elementary
 - 102 Pine Elementary
 - 200 Middle Schools
 - 200 Cedar Middle
 - 300 Junior High Schools
 - 400 High Schools
 - 401 Pine HS
 - 402 Redwood Charter HS
 - 800 District

WUFAR Account Format

Fund	Location	Object
10	123	300
 27		

Object

• What?

Object identifies the type of cost by category, such as salaries, materials, supplies or contracted services.

Types of Objects

- Salaries & Fringe (100 / 200 Objects)
- Purchased Services (300 Objects)
- Non-Capital Objects (400 Objects)
- Capital Objects (500 Objects)
- Insurance (700 Objects)
- Other (900 Objects)

WUFAR Account Format

Fund	Location	Object	Function
10 	123	300	110 000
27			158 000

Function

- Why?
- For what area?

Function describes the purpose for which a service or materials are acquired.

- 1xxxxx functions are instructional
- 2xxxxx functions are support services



EXPENDITURE ACCOUNTS "FUNCTIONS"

100 000 – Instruction

200 000 – Support Services

300 000 – Community Services

400 000 – Non-Program

Instruction is restricted to interactions between pupils and teachers

Types of Functions

- Undifferentiated Curriculum 110000
 - Teaches two or more curricular areas to the same group of students.
 - Language arts/social studies program
 - First grade teacher
- Regular Curriculum— 120000
 - · Teaches one curricular area
 - o 122000 English Language
 - o 124000 Mathematics
 - o 124100 Algebra
 - 124300 Calculus
 - o 124600 Geometry

Types of Functions

- Special Education
 - Early Childhood 152000
 - Speech & Language-156600
 - Cross Categorical- 158000
 - Special Education Program Aide 159100
- School Psychologist- 215000
- oStaff Training − 221300

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Fund	Location	Object	Function	Project
10	123	300	110 000	141
 27			 158 000	341

Project

- How is it paid for?
- Project is designed to identify a funding source.

FUND 10 PROJECT CODES

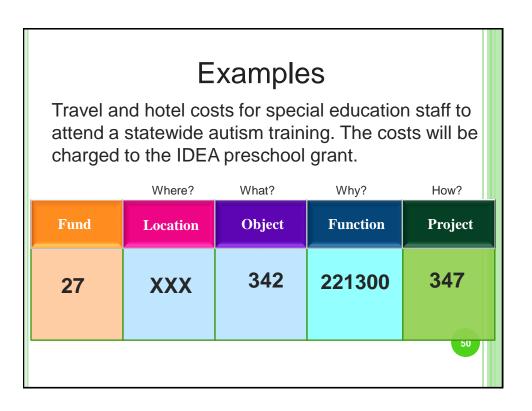
- Title projects Fund 10
 - 141 Title I-A
 - 365 Title II-A
 - 391 Title III-A
- oIDEA Flow-through projects Fund 10
 - 341 IDEA Coordinated Early Intervening
 - http://sped.dpi.wi.gov/sped_ceis
 - 341 IDEA Title I Schoolwide Set-Aside
 - http://sped.dpi.wi.gov/sped_grt-title1-setaside

FUND 27 PROJECT CODES

- Fund 27 Special Education projects
 - <u>ALL</u> Special Education expenditures must have a project code. These are reported to DPI.
 - Local (IDEA Maintenance of Effort)
 - 011 State Special Education Categorical Aid
 - · 019 Non-aidable Special Education Cost
 - Federal
 - 341 IDEA Flow-through
 - · 347 IDEA Preschool

Examples The salary and fringe benefits of an elementary school teacher using local money. Where? What? Why? How? **Function Fund** Location **Object Project** 100 / 110000 10 XXX 200

Examples The salary and fringe benefits of a reading teacher charged to the Title I grant. Where? What? Why? How? Fund **Object Function** Project Location 100 / 141 122000 10 XXX 200



Examples

The purchase of contracted special transportation for students requiring special transportation in their IEP. The costs will be claimed for state special ed categorical aid.

	Where?	What?	Why?	How?
Fund	Location	Object	Function	Project
27	XXX	341	256750	011
				51

BALANCE SHEET ACCOUNTS

700 000 - Assets

800 000 - Liabilities

900 000 - Fund Balance "Equity"



REVENUE ACCOUNT CODING

Revenue

XX - XXXXXX - XXX - XXX FUND - FUNCTION - SOURCE - PROGRAM

- Typically no function (some districts use 5XXXXX)
- All Transfer-In transactions must use a 41XXXX function
- Additional dimensions as desired

REVENUE ACCOUNTS "SOURCES"

All revenues, long term debt proceeds and "inter-fund transfers-in" must be coded as a **SOURCE**

100 - Interfund Transfers

200 - Local Sources

300/400 - School Districts

500 - CESAS

600 - State

700 - Federal

800 – Debt

900 - Other

See also the Aid Register Coding of Federal and State Programs http://sfs.dpi.wi.gov/aid info

School Financial Services				Search	Welcome Guest ▼
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Presentation Title	Presenter	Туре	Air Date	Air Time	Duration
2012 Spring Finance Workshop - 2012-13 Pre Populated Revenue Limit Vorksheet	Erin Fath, School Finance Consultant	On Demand	Monday, March 26, 2012	3:30 PM CDT	7 Minutes 37 Seconds
2012 Spring Finance Workshop - VUFAR, OPEB, Fraud Reporting	Gene Fornecker, Auditor, DPI School Finance Team	On Demand	Monday, March 26, 2012	3:30 PM CDT	13 Minutes 41 Seconds
2012 Spring Finance Workshop - Odd & Ends	Brad Adams, School Finance Consultant Debbie Brown, Assistant Director, School Finance Team	On Demand	Monday, March 26, 2012	3:30 PM CDT	18 Minutes 15 Seconds
2012 Spring Finance Workshop - Special Education Update	Michele Tessner, School Finance Accountant	On Demand	Monday, March 26, 2012	3:30 PM CDT	10 Minutes 32 Seconds
2012 Spring Finance Workshop - Open Enrollment Revenue Limit Exemption	Erin Fath, School Finance Consultant	On Demand	Monday, March 26, 2012	3:30 PM CDT	7 Minutes 25 Seconds
2012 Spring Finance Workshop - Education Jobs Fund	Paul Dix	On Demand	Monday, March 26, 2012	3:30 PM CDT	6 Minutes 40 Seconds
2012 Spring Finance Workshop - Energy Efficiency Exemption Changes	Bob Avery	On Demand	Monday, March 26, 2012	3:30 PM CDT	6 Minutes 17 Seconds
2012 Spring Finance Workshop - Per Pupil Adjustment Aid	 Erin Fath, School Finance Consultant 	On Demand	Monday, March 26, 2012	3:30 PM CDT	11 Minutes 2 Seconds
Grant Payment In and Grant Payment Out FAQ	 Michele Tessner, School Finance Accountant 	On Demand	Tuesday, October 18, 2011	11:14 AM CDT	8 Minutes 47 Seconds
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QUESTIONS?

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